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SPORTING.

Water Polo.

B.O.C. v. 87th Co., R.G.A.  
The following have been chosen to represent the B.O.C. in their water polo league match against the 87th Co., R.G.A.; to-morrow at the V.R.C. at 5.15 p.m. sharp.—C. A. C. Rodrigues, capt.; R. J. White, T. Logan, Geo. Mitchell, E. Leitao, F. Da Roza, R. A. Carvalho, reserve—I. E. Chyunut.

Royal Hongkong Golf Club.

The Captain's Cup and Pool were played for on the 12th to 14th instants with the following results:

CAPTAIN'S CUP.  
Captain A. D. Warinck ... 94—7—73  
Rev. W. H. Foster Pegg ... 78 scr. 78  
J. D. Kinnaird ... 94—16—73  
K. S. Morrison ... 94—16—73  
G. Hastings ... 96—18—73  
C. H. Galo ... 93—12—81  
J. Clark ... 83—1—82  
A. H. Bouquet ... 101—18—83  
G. A. Cooke ... 99—8—91  
40 Entries.  
POOL.  
K. S. Morrison ... 92—16—76  
Rev. W. H. Foster Pegg ... 78 scr. 78  
J. D. Kinnaird ... 94—16—73  
E. R. Hallifax ... 94—13—73  
J. Clark ... 83—1—82  
W. D. Kraft ... 92—9—83  
A. H. Bouquet ... 101—18—83  
K. M. Cuning ... 84 scr. 84  
40 Entries.

Gymkhana Notes.

Training at the Race Course yesterday and this morning was like galloping hocks deep through the surf on the sea-shore, while the rain at times came down so thick that it was impossible to see posts or ponies on the far side of the course.

Yesterday few ponies were out and there was no galloping. To-day, despite the weather, a fair number of gallops were made, though nothing brilliant. Favonius is credited with covering a mile in 2.14, last quarter 32.

The times taken were:

Kingcote (Gegg) one mile and a quarter, last three-quarters 1.47, last quarter 34.

Lachine (Boy) three-quarters 1.48, last quarter 32.

Brushwood Boy (Owner) one mile 2.30, last quarter 33.

Favonius (Jervois) one mile 2.14, last quarter 32.

Glenary, (Boy) one mile, 38. 1.13 & 1.49. 3. 2.22.

Tomahawk (Gegg) 4, — 1.63. 2.26.

Auchendolby, (Hastings) three-quarters, last half, 32. 06. 2.

Duel (Boy) three-quarters, 39, 1.15.

1.49.

Sunny Jim (Boy) half-mile 38.2, 1.12.

Kerry, (Boy) three-quarters last half, 47.2, 1.17.

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## THE POLITICAL CRISIS.

(Written Specially for the "CHINA MAIL")

London, July 25.

The political controversy which has been  
raging more or less violently in Great  
Britain during the past few years con-  
cerning the curtailing of the powers of the  
House of Lords came to a dramatic head  
yesterday afternoon, and to my sorrow I  
have to write that "the Mother of Parlia-  
ment" disgraced herself. Allowance has of  
course to be made for the exaggerated  
feelings of the Opposition, the heat  
of the weather, and the exhausted nerve  
of most people at the present time  
after all the excitement of the Coronation  
festivities, the investiture of the Prince of  
Wales at Carnarvon, the Royal visits to  
Ireland and Scotland, etc. But even so,  
I think it most deplorable that such a scene  
should have been enacted within the walls  
of Parliament, when for the first time in  
its history, the Commons of England sitting  
on the Opposition benches refused to  
hear an explanation from the Prime  
Minister. Parliament, I know, has been  
frequently brought to shame of late years,  
especially since the Irish Party became  
such an important power in the division  
lobby, but even the most well managed  
Irish outbreak fades into insignificance be-  
side yesterday's disgrace.Favoured with a seat in the Stranger's  
Gallery, the representative of the  
China Mail was early in attendance, for  
the event was likely to be of historic  
importance. I need not describe  
the scene, spread out before the eye, that  
had been done ad nauseam; we enter into  
particulars of the personalities of the dis-  
tinguished members of Parliament who  
assembled to take part in the sitting. But  
from the very outset of the proceedings it  
was apparent that deep currents of feeling  
were at work. The manner in which several  
newly elected members were received, the  
reception accorded various members of the  
Government and, finally, Mr. Balfour, as  
they took up their different seats showed  
that party feeling was running very high.  
Yet for all that nobody looking on could  
possibly have expected what really did  
happen. Once the word "Traitor" was  
heard—it rang out as Mr. Asquith rose to  
make his declaration of the Government's  
attitude regarding the veto Bill—the House  
seemed to lose all sense of dignity and a  
party of irresponsible schoolboys could not  
have behaved more thoughtlessly. During  
all the hubbub Mr. Balfour sat in his  
favourite attitude, apparently half asleep  
and altogether indifferent. That this  
attitude was merely assumed was seen  
when he rose to take part in the  
debate. He had been as keenly alive  
as anyone to all that was occurring  
around him and his talents when Winston  
Churchill chided him for not keeping his  
following in order were very bitter. The  
only man who comes out of the incident  
with credit is the Speaker. Mr. Lowther  
was splendid, and his handling of the  
situation did much to save the reputation  
of the ancient assembly.Long before this letter reaches Hong-  
kong the fate of the measure will  
be settled, one way or another,  
so I need not enter on any sur-  
mises. Suffice it to say that for once in  
a very long while politics have entirely  
swamped the down and abiding interest  
maintained in sport in the Old Country.  
Up till Monday one could honestly say  
that to the great majority of the inhabitants  
of these islands the cricket score, shooting  
results, horse racing and airship meetings  
were the sole topics of conversation. That  
the ancient Constitution of the Kingdom  
was about to be fished into the maelstrom  
of politics did not seem to enter the  
minds of the public.The best form in the Cardiff £100 half-  
mile running handicap was shown by F. C.  
Davis of Tenby, who won his heat, from  
the ten yards mark, in the second round,  
with the watch showing 1 min. 56 sec. ap-  
peared to have had to put up with third place  
in the final.J. G. Sherlock of Stoke Poges played  
splendidly in the Southern Qualifying Com-  
petition of Professional Golfers' Association  
£100 tournament at Abergavenny. He did the  
morning round in 69, a competition record for  
the course, and another round of 76  
gave him top place with a total of 144.Home exchanges (via Siberia) report that  
Mr. J. B. Jeal, Sunstar, winner of the  
Two Thousand Guineas, Newmarket  
Stakes, and the Derby, is unlikely to stand  
another preparation. His name has not  
appeared recently in the training reports  
from Wantage, and apparently the Derby  
winner will not race again. He was, it is  
rumoured to be correct, leave the turf with-  
out having given proof of his rank amongst  
notable horses. His admirers proclaim  
him to be fully up to the range of Derby  
winners, but there are critics who by no  
means accept this opinion, and it will be  
therefore the more regrettable if the account  
of his breakdown is correct and he does  
not face the start for the St. Leger at  
Doncaster on September 13.Sandridge heads the table of winning  
races of the season with a total of 221,957,  
and Lord Derby shows the way among  
winning owners, his horses having won  
more than 220,000.For the sake of the Old Country, whose  
reputation we overseas men hold to hold  
more dearly than do the folks at home,  
do hope that we shall be spared another  
exhibition of bad manners. That the man-  
ners of the men-in-the-street have deterior-  
ated of late years is apparent to everyone.Whatever the elementary schools do, they  
do not teach courtesy and respect for  
other's feelings, and this fact is borne  
home in many a painful incidents that fall  
under the observation of those who have  
been away from the Old Country for a long  
series of years. But the manners of the  
proletariat need not be spiced by the men  
whom we send to Parliament to perform  
the work of legislation. No matter what  
the provocations which they are subjected  
to, they should set an example to the rest  
of the nation. True they have in this instance  
set an example that is hardly creditable to  
the extreme.

A. B.

## MACAO NEWS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Macao, August 16.

THE HARBOR UNBLOCKED.

The dredged Canton River returned here  
yesterday evening and work will be resumed  
in a day or two, as soon as the mudscoves  
have been given the little overhaul they  
also needed. Mr. Ormiston is the local  
representative of the contractors.

"REFORM" VAPOURISTS.

Native sentiment appears to be pretty  
well divided on the matter of the dredging  
of the harbour of the species which were  
delivered on Sunday last, at the feature  
inauguration of the new Chinese public  
library may serve as a criterion.This pioneer establishment of its kind  
is housed in commodious premises on the  
site of the Rua do Hospital. On the ground floor  
a signboard proclaims an "English School",  
which is one among the many we have  
already noticed in the Colony under familiar  
titles such as "The Academy", "Lighting  
Luk" etc. all handled by Chinese  
masters. There was a decided smack of  
anti-imperialism in the discourse which  
was addressed to a packed hall; the out-  
standing element whereof was the queen-  
long, mostly gromhorns in their early teens.  
A sampling of the prevailing trend of thought may be  
found in the following slogan: "When  
you call in masters to repair your house  
and then find that the work is all done  
away, why, would you not burst them  
forthwith and engage fresh hands?" See  
how Macao is beginning to revive under  
the Republic. The change is slow in  
coming, but come it must, "and so forth".  
The same evening at the Chinese theatre  
the show was redolent of "reform". Poor  
things, do they know what they really  
want? I would advise the worthy  
faddists to give Canton a very wide berth.

MAGOG RUMOURS.

There have been renewed, though un-  
founded, rumours of the landing of 6,000  
troops in Chinhan (S.W. sector of Heng-  
shan). If local native opinion goes for  
anything, such a move is well on the cards  
—albeit alien to the dredging agitation.  
With 30,000 bears in Canton City and  
another 10,000 in close proximity at the  
Hoia Tigris fort it is not surprising that  
the Viceroy, at his wits' end to obtrude an  
indiscreet concurrence of botheads, is  
making an errand for the forces by detailing  
small batches of the men to divers  
points of the Province. Poor China.

THE CANTON PROTEST.

The exodus from Canton continues  
Ten houses on the Praia Grande which  
were vacant four days ago are now chock  
full.In pursuance of stringent orders issued  
by H. E. the Governor the police have  
been busy hunting out the prime movers  
of the little "reform" outburst on Sunday  
last and this afternoon it was a sight to see  
the calls at the police barracks chock-full  
with would-be reformers.

## SPORTING.

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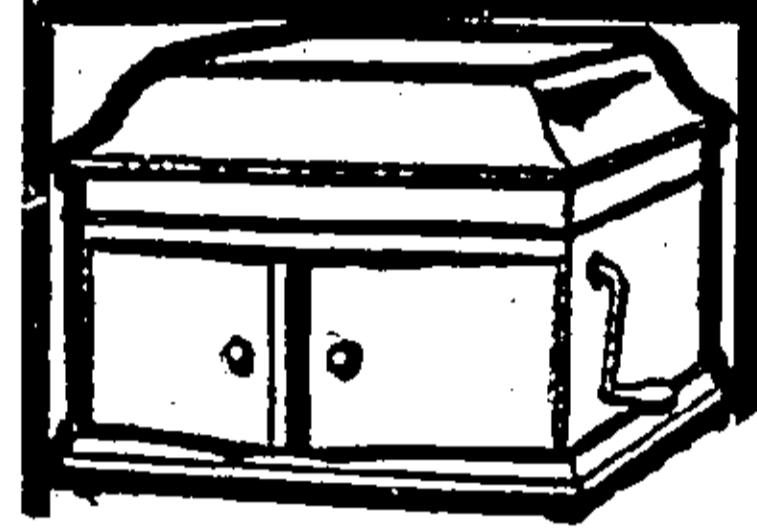
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known—that of ATRON, the man whom THERITIS forced to make him his heir, and that of NARCISSUS, the secretary of CLAUDIUS. The greatest ancient income of which we know was approximately \$1,200,000, but it is to be remembered that returns on investments in ancient days were higher than now, at least 6 per cent., as against 4 per cent., so that a fortune worth \$10,000,000 would then yield as much as one of \$15,000,000 now. Mr. DAVIS declares "that the greatest fortunes of the first cannot compare with those of the twentieth century." Even when we allow for the difference in the purchasing powers of money, and agree that it was three times as great in CLAUDIUS' time as it is now, "a very uncertain position," we get for the estate of NARCISSUS a fortune of \$48,000,000, while, if we allow for the greater income then derived—that is, 6 per cent.—instead of 4—this fortune would be raised to about \$72,000,000, which, great though it is, has been in several instances surpassed in America and probably in Europe. Mr. DAVIS calls attention, however, to one great difference in the influence of wealth on Rome and on ourselves. Life in Rome, just before great fortunes were acquired, had been extremely simple among all classes, and never in Rome were there means for spending money such as are known to us. Hence huge fortunes in Rome produced a very different effect from what they do to-day. Even a moderate patrimony was greater then in all it could give a man.

That the effect of the rapid accumulation of big fortunes is not of the best for the national temper is clearly shown in the present social unrest among the people of the United States. A writer in *The Times* recently discussed the subject and in the course of his deductions remarked—"The newly rich who came into their estates without the long years of stern training in business economies, were conscious of no responsibilities, and not unnaturally they began spending, and are spending to-day, with a lavishness formerly undreamed of; and this it is, more than anything else, which has contributed to the general increase in extravagance and to the almost universal raising of the scale of living. But, what is even more important, the attitude of the public towards them is different from its attitude towards the rich men of the older type. Without saying anything so absurd as that all these newly rich are unworthy of their fortunes or are using them in unworthy ways, one cannot help seeing that the example set by many of them is unedifying.

... The Western agricultural States look on Wall-street as an alien thing, and it arouses their wrath that its corrupting influence should pervade the affairs of the nation, and, even more, that their own affairs, the prices of wheat and corn and of all staples, should be subject to its manipulation, and that it should be able at one time to plunge the whole country into depression, at another to force the price of commodities up to a point where it becomes difficult for the mass of people to live upon its income."

It certainly is a strange phenomenon that a people so conspicuously well-to-do as are the majority of the citizens of the United States should be so discontented, but there is little doubt that the big problem which they will have to thresh out this century will be the more equitable division of wealth.

#### THE MACAO GOVERNORSHIP.

##### Bumoured Change.

News was received in the Colony this morning that H.E. the Governor of Macao had received a wire on the 15th inst. from the authorities at Lisbon ordering him to return to Portugal as soon as he could hand over the reins of Government to Dr. Mansilha. This news, if true, will come as a great surprise to all interested in affairs in Macao. Dr. Mansilha, was Secretary General to Governor S. Exa. Machado some little time ago. He left for Lisbon at short notice, where he is at present, unless he has already left on his way out. His return to Macao in an official capacity was not considered probable.

#### NEWS OF THE DAY.

"And the rain it raineth every day."

To-day's quotation for Para rubber, per Mears Vernon & Smyth, is 4s. 6d.

Again to-day the plague return sheet is "nil."

A watch, value \$4, has been stolen from the office of the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

A number of lamp burners have been stolen from gas lamps in Macdonald Road and at the Peak.

Ninety one deportees arrived on Wednesday by the a.s. *Telomacus* from Saigon and twenty-three by the s.s. *Hang Wong I* from Singapore.

Two hundred and fifty poor people of Manila were fed at a banquet given by the apostolic delegate in honour of the 5th anniversary of the coronation of the Pope.

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A Peking dispatch credits a certain Wai-wu-pu official with the statement that as an outcome of the Russo-Japanese protest against the currency loan, it has been arranged that Russia and Japan will participate in all loans to be raised in future.

It is reported from Formosa that expeditionary troops, to the number of 2,157 men, commenced their march on the 1st instant towards the district of Rito, where the aborigines have frequently made stubborn resistance. The natives number in all some 1,700, of whom over 500 are combatants.

The water returns up to August 1st show that the Colony is very comfortably placed. All the reservoirs are much fuller than last year. On the Hongkong side there are over 70 millions more gallons stored than in 1910, while at Kowloon the reservoir contains 189 million gallons more or three times the quantity in store last year at the same period.

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A novel method of arranging a cricket match has just come to light. At 9.25 p.m. on the 5th inst. the following telegram was received at police headquarters at Shanghai, from the P. & S. str. Devanah which was then at sea nearly two hundred miles from Shanghai: "Can you arrange to play at cricket to-morrow, if so arrange ground. Signed second officer." The Devanah arrived next morning, but as several of the police team had conscientious objections, and there also being a heavy rainfall, the match did not come off.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The Japanese Ambassador Mr. Kato, in London, will leave for home at the beginning of September.

Among the passengers who left here for Manila by the s.s. *Prinz Wiedenbeck* were Mr. and Mrs. F. Eberius, Mr. and Mrs. Ramos and Mrs. and Misses Collier.

Leave of absence, on private affairs, to the United Kingdom, has been granted to Lieut. G. K. Sullivan, 1st Bn. K.O.Y.L.I., from 15th August, 1911, to 18th May, 1912.

Sir Charles Alfred Elliott, of Fernwood, Wimbledon Park, S.W., formerly Minister of Public Works in India, and Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, died on May 28 last, aged 67, left estate valued at £25,300 gross, with net personalty £78,317. Among other bequests he left £2,000 to St. Mary's Hall, Kemp Town, Brighton, £1,000 to the Church Missionary Society, and £500 each to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, and the British and Foreign Bible Society.

#### CLAIM FOR MONEY LENT.

At the Supreme Court this morning before Mr. Justice Gomperts, Lau Yuk Tim sued Pun Kwan Min to recover \$1,000.

Mr. H. L. Denya, Jr., appeared for plaintiff and Mr. Roderick Harris defended.

Mr. Denya said the plaintiff and defendant were formerly fellow employees of the Mun-Tung-Ou Keo, defendant being a nephew or relation of the principal while plaintiff was introduced by a Mandarin who got him into that firm. Both plaintiff and defendant outside their business carried on separate businesses in human hair. They used to accommodate each other at times, and when one had cash the other borrowed it, their relations between them being very friendly. Plaintiff lent defendant \$1,000 in July, 1910 and the debt was now disputed. He had only the account books and it depended on them and the general evidence produced.

Evidence was called.

#### QUESTIONS BY THE HON. MR. H. E. POLLOCK.

##### Replies at Legislative Council.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council this afternoon Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock asked—

THE TURBON RAPTOR.

Will the Government lay upon the table a printed paper containing a progress diagram, showing the work done in the typhoon refuge up to the 30th June, 1911, and will the Government thereafter lay upon the table a similar paper showing the progress made during each successive period of six months?

Hon. Colonial Secretary stated—

The diagram asked for will be prepared and laid on the table at an early date and thereafter at the end of each period of six months. It will take the form of a cross section of the breakwater, which constitutes the main item of the contract and is responsible for fully 80 per cent of the cost of the work.

KOWLOON MARKET.

Will the Government explain why the word "the" is used in the Tsim Sha Tsui Market is proceeding so slowly? When will the market be ready for use?

Hon. Colonial Secretary replied that the hon. member was requested to repeat his question at the next meeting.

WHAT WIRELESS ON THE PRATAS.

What information can the Government give to the Council with reference to the prospect of the erection of a wireless telegraph station on an island of the Pratas Group?

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On demand - 1/98

New York - 1/98

On demand - 1/98

Credit, 4 months' sight - 1/98

Documentation, 4 months' sight - 1/98

On Paris - 2/98

On demand - 2/98

Gold Leaf, 100 tins, (per tins) - \$68.10

Silver (per tins) - 24.15

Porcelain in Hongkong - 1/98 premium

Chinese Copper Cash - 27/98 dis.

Rate of Native Interest - 7/98 dis.

Chinese Sub. Coin - 7/98 dis.

Hongkong Sub. Coin - 7/98 dis.

12 Stone Jars

(2 Gall) - \$16.00 per case.

24 Stone Jars

(2 Gall) - \$19.00 per case.

12 Stone Jars

(2 Gall) - \$20.00 per case.

The whole of the above  
bottled in Europe.MacEwen, Frickel & Co.,  
4, Des Vaux Road.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

The British Contract Packet Despatch  
will be despatched on SATURDAY,the 18th August, with Mails for the  
United Kingdom, the Continent  
of Europe, and countries beyond, via  
the Seas, Settlements, Mediterranean,  
Africa, Egypt, Malta, and Greece.

Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m.

Registration, with late fee of 10 cents  
up to 11 a.m.

Registration, Kowloon H.O., 10 a.m.

No late fee.

Letters at 11 a.m.

Late Letters - 11 a.m. to noon.

Postage 10 cents.

(Supplementary Mail on board up to the  
time fixed for despatch by the mail.

Extra Postage 10 cents.

(Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes  
in time for the first clearance will be  
included in this contract mail.)The Principal will be closed on Friday,  
the 13th Aug., at 5 p.m.

Victoria House.

Mr. A. G. Gandy Dr. Paul

Mr. J. McLaren Mr. Kelly Joyce

Mr. G. G. Gandy Capt. G. G. Gandy

Mr. H. E. Victor

Mr. K. McLauren

## SHIPPING

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OUTWARD BOUND.

July 28, Indra, Khamala.

Aug. 1, Sorenson, AN.

Aug. 1, Agamemnon, AN.

Aug. 1, Aeneas, C. M., Austria.

Aug. 1, C. M., C. M., C. M.

Aug. 1, Bremen, Dalmatia.

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